



Betty Petrig Robertson

August 1, 1929 – September 10, 2026

Betty Robertson, 97, passed away peacefully on September 10, 2026.

Betty was born on August 1, 1929, to Joseph and Ida Petrig of Tracy, California. She grew up attending Tracy schools and living the farm life in Banta. In 1950, she married her husband of 67 years, Stanley Robertson.

Stan served in the Army, and just two years into their marriage, he was deployed to Korea. While he was on active duty, their twin daughters, Sharon and Karen, were born. When Stan was discharged, he returned to Tracy, where he and Betty began raising their family, which soon included their son, Hal.

Together, Betty and Stan built a life centered around family, friendship and community. Betty embraced all things social and loved being surrounded by people. She enjoyed bridge club and Swiss Hall functions, and spent her free time golfing, camping and skiing with friends and family. She also loved to garden and took great pride in her home and enjoyed decorating for all the holidays.

Betty and Stan shared a love of travel and traveled extensively throughout the United States and abroad, creating memories and experiences that remained special to her throughout her life.

Betty was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Stan. She was also the last surviving sibling of her brothers, Ed and Al Petrig, and her sisters, Ida Williams and Alice Fisher.

Betty is survived by her three children: Sharon and her husband, Bob Ott; Karen and her husband, Dave Rabb; and Hal and his wife, Courtney Robertson. She leaves behind 9 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren, along with a lifetime of memories shared with the family and friends who loved her.

Betty was a friend to all. She was caring and compassionate and chose to see the best in everyone. Betty lived life to the fullest, embracing her family, her friendships, her community and every opportunity to enjoy the world around her. She was a kind and loving woman with a huge heart, and her warmth and generosity touched countless lives.

She will be dearly missed and lovingly remembered by her family and friends.

A private service is planned.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Betty Robertson may be made to Alzheimer's Research, donorservices.alz.org; San Joaquin Valley Swiss Club, P.O. Box 373, Ripon, CA 95366; or a charity of your choice.
